

HISTORICAL MAINE LOBSTER LANDINGS

YEAR	SPECIES	METRIC TONS	POUNDS	POUNDS(millions)	VALUE	VALUE(millions)	PRICE/LB
1950	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	8324.6	18,352,600	18.3526	\$6,412,311	6.4123	\$0.35
1951	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	9416.4	20,759,500	20.7595	\$7,214,107	7.2141	\$0.35
1952	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	9088.3	20,036,300	20.0363	\$8,511,821	8.5118	\$0.42
1953	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	10115.3	22,300,300	22.3003	\$8,411,229	8.4112	\$0.38
1954	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	9828.3	21,667,700	21.6677	\$8,087,156	8.0872	\$0.37
1955	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	10304.8	22,718,100	22.7181	\$8,716,012	8.7160	\$0.38
1956	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	9331.4	20,572,300	20.5723	\$9,119,807	9.1198	\$0.44
1957	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	11068.9	24,402,800	24.4028	\$8,954,234	8.9542	\$0.37
1958	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	9667.0	21,312,000	21.3120	\$10,445,004	10.4450	\$0.49
1959	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	10128.2	22,328,800	22.3288	\$11,252,686	11.2527	\$0.50
1960	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	10892.7	24,014,200	24.0142	\$10,967,018	10.9670	\$0.46
1961	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	9488.2	20,917,900	20.9179	\$11,119,803	11.1198	\$0.53
1962	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	10013.2	22,075,300	22.0753	\$11,195,609	11.1956	\$0.51
1963	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	10343.9	22,804,300	22.8043	\$12,635,826	12.6358	\$0.55
1964	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	9489.5	20,920,697	20.9207	\$13,878,286	13.8783	\$0.66
1965	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	8555.6	18,861,785	18.8618	\$14,177,204	14.1772	\$0.75
1966	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	9033.7	19,915,816	19.9158	\$14,904,498	14.9045	\$0.75
1967	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	7479.4	16,489,196	16.4892	\$13,597,869	13.5979	\$0.82
1968	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	9299.4	20,501,732	20.5017	\$14,931,671	14.9317	\$0.73
1969	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	8996.9	19,834,780	19.8348	\$16,046,829	16.0468	\$0.81
1970	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	8242.8	18,172,269	18.1723	\$17,201,501	17.2015	\$0.95
1971	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	7964.3	17,558,351	17.5584	\$17,481,291	17.4813	\$1.00
1972	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	7373.8	16,256,467	16.2565	\$18,587,455	18.5875	\$1.14
1973	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	7731.1	17,044,194	17.0442	\$23,269,859	23.2699	\$1.37
1974	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	7465.1	16,457,666	16.4577	\$23,212,808	23.2128	\$1.41
1975	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	7491.4	16,515,588	16.5156	\$26,520,134	26.5201	\$1.61
1976	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	8618.7	19,001,053	19.0011	\$29,238,371	29.2384	\$1.54
1977	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	8385.6	18,487,138	18.4871	\$32,101,423	32.1014	\$1.74
1978	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	8677.4	19,130,459	19.1305	\$33,878,376	33.8784	\$1.77
1979	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	10039.5	22,133,235	22.1332	\$39,900,632	39.9006	\$1.80
1980	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	9973.1	21,986,894	21.9869	\$41,729,114	41.7291	\$1.90
1981	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	10265.5	22,631,614	22.6316	\$47,236,923	47.2369	\$2.09
1982	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	10310.3	22,730,253	22.7303	\$50,343,596	50.3436	\$2.21
1983	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	9968.4	21,976,555	21.9766	\$51,234,291	51.2343	\$2.33
1984	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	8865.8	19,545,682	19.5457	\$49,298,135	49.2981	\$2.52
1985	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	9128.6	20,125,177	20.1252	\$45,035,558	45.0356	\$2.24
1986	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	8937.7	19,704,317	19.7043	\$46,171,224	46.1712	\$2.34
1987	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	8957.4	19,747,766	19.7478	\$54,548,137	54.5481	\$2.76
1988	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	9860.7	21,739,067	21.7391	\$60,742,438	60.7424	\$2.79
1989	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	10599.9	23,368,719	23.3687	\$59,552,211	59.5522	\$2.55
1990	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	12731.6	28,068,238	28.0682	\$61,627,973	61.6280	\$2.20
1991	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	13965.5	30,788,646	30.7886	\$72,265,347	72.2653	\$2.35
1992	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	12170.1	26,830,448	26.8304	\$71,822,699	71.8227	\$2.68
1993	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	13574.4	29,926,464	29.9265	\$73,863,438	73.8634	\$2.47

1994	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	17666.9	38,948,867	38.9489	\$100,936,678	100.9367	\$2.59
1995	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	16877.4	37,208,324	37.2083	\$101,893,173	101.8932	\$2.74
1996	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	16367.2	36,083,443	36.0834	\$106,980,557	106.9806	\$2.96
1997	LOBSTER,AMERICAN	21329.4	47,023,271	47.0233	\$138,292,438	138.2924	\$2.94
1998	LOBSTER,AMERICAN	21335.6	47,036,836	47.0368	\$137,189,341	137.1893	\$2.92
1999	LOBSTER,AMERICAN	24264.7	53,494,418	53.4944	\$184,614,071	184.6141	\$3.45
2000	LOBSTER,AMERICAN	25952.5	57,215,406	57.2154	\$187,714,817	187.7148	\$3.28
2001	LOBSTER,AMERICAN	22052.6	48,617,693	48.6177	\$153,982,266	153.9823	\$3.17
2002*	LOBSTER,AMERICAN	28860.2	63,625,745	63.6257	\$210,950,030	210.9500	\$3.32
2003*	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	24934.4	54,970,948	54.9709	\$205,715,329	205.7153	\$3.74
2004**	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	32465.6	71,574,344	71.5743	\$289,078,847	289.0788	\$4.04
2005**	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	31175.4	68,729,813	68.7298	\$317,948,122	317.9481	\$4.63
2006**	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	34154.8	75,298,328	75.2983	\$307,036,195	307.0362	\$4.08
2007**	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	29021.8	63,982,109	63.9821	\$283,697,544	283.6975	\$4.43
2008**	LOBSTER, AMERICAN	31615.7	69,700,525	69.7005	\$244,195,068	244.1951	\$3.50

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*The 2002 & 2003 landings may possibly reflect the increased effort by DMR to collect voluntary landings from some lobster dealers; caution is advised when comparing these numbers to previous years.

**Lobster reporting became mandatory in 2004 for all Maine dealers buying directly from harvesters, so caution is advised when comparing these landings to previous years.

All 2008 data are preliminary.